

# Marion County Election Board Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 7, 2011

Emergency Meeting called pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5(d)

City County Building, Rm 118

Board Members Present: Chairman Mark Sullivan; Vice Chairman Patrick Dietrick; Secretary Elizabeth "Beth" White; Tenley Drescher-Rhoades, Director of Elections

Others Present: Scott Chinn, Myla Eldridge, Laurel Judkins, Prosecutor Terry Curry, Angie Nussmeyer ; Michael Weiseman, Jenny Troutman, Cindy Mowery, Ladonna Freeman, Patrick Becker, Adam Kirsch, Ed Tracey, Kyle Walker, Tom John, Matt Conner

**I. Call to Order:** Chairman Sullivan called the meeting to order.

**II. Potential Election Law Violations:**

- **Matt Conner, voter** – He testified that he received a phone call from a male caller who stated he was from the Marion County Democratic Party. The caller ID came from a phone number from California. Mr. Conner was falsely informed of his current polling place.
- **Adam Kirsch, Marion County Democratic Party** – He testified that none of these calls were made by the Democratic Party. Mr. Kirsch stated that he researched the phone number and it was a number that could not be reached.

**III. Issues Discussing Voter challengers:** Director Drescher-Rhoades stated both political parties have to file a list of challengers with the Election Board no later than 72 hours before the opening of the polls on Election Day. The board discussed the rules regarding voter challenges.

**IV. Poll Worker Communications:** Director Drescher-Rhoades stated that poll workers have received an unofficial list of absentee voters and the board discussed the use of this list on Election Day.

**V. Adjournment:** Chairman Sullivan motioned to adjourn the meeting

**Signed: 12/14/2011**

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Chairman, Mark K. Sullivan

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Vice Chairman, Patrick Dietrick

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Secretary, Elizabeth L. White